

RANSIEN'I' WELCOME PACKAGE 2023



Dear Visiting Boater,

I extend a warm and hearty welcome to our beautiful marina on behalf of the entire Windsor Yacht Club community. As Commodore of this esteemed club, I am pleased to greet you and ensure your stay with us is exceptional.

Windsor Yacht Club has a long-standing tradition of fostering a vibrant boating community, and we are excited to share our passion for the water with you. Our marina offers state-of-the-art facilities, including modern slips, immaculate restrooms, showers, and access to our welcoming clubhouse and Wi-Fi services.

We are especially thrilled to introduce the newly designed patio area of our Club, where you can unwind and take in the scenic views of the marina. Whether you're looking to relax with a refreshing drink or indulge in a delicious bite to eat, our patio is the perfect spot to enjoy the tranquillity and camaraderie the Windsor Yacht Club offers.

If you have any questions about your well-being or the facilities, please don't hesitate to contact our Facilities Manager, Andrew Barlow, or a member of our Yards and Dock staff. They are readily available to assist you and ensure your experience at our marina is comfortable and hassle-free.

Additionally, we take immense pride in our dining services at Windsor Yacht Club. Whether you're in the mood for a sumptuous meal overlooking the waterfront or a refreshing drink at the bar, our Food and Beverage team, led by our Food and Beverage Manager Matt Jones, is here to satisfy you with many culinary delights. Contact Matt or our F&B team members for an unforgettable dining experience by email (manager@windsoryachtclub.com), phone (519-945-1863 and press 1) or present themselves to the host stand at your earliest convenience to pre-register for evening reservations.

We hope you enjoy your stay and consider our marina a home away from home for future voyages. Fair winds and smooth sailing!

Sincerely, Commodore Terry Turner Windsor Yacht Club

Marina Map:

Dock staff are available to assist you during the following hours:

Sunday: 10:00 am – 8:00 pm Monday: 10:00 am – 6:00 pm Tuesday - Saturday: 9:00 am – 8:30 pm

Please note that attended dock hours may vary at the boating season's beginning (April) and end (October). To reach the Dock staff, you can contact them on Channel 68.



Marina Rules and Regulations (selected):

All visiting yacht club Members in good standing of a reciprocal yacht club are welcome to moor their boats and enjoy the facilities of the Windsor Yacht Club. Reservations are required and will be accepted on an as-available basis.

High Season: Victoria Day weekend through Labour Day weekend inclusive Off-Season: November 1st through March 31st. Low Season: Between High and Off Seasons

High Season, out-of-club transients \$2.00 per foot per night, three nights maximum Low Season, out-of-club transients are \$2.00 per foot per night for three nights, reducing to \$1.00 per foot per night afterward. Refilling portable and removable gas tanks must occur off the property. The transfer of fuel between containers is strictly prohibited within WYC premises. Additionally, fixed tanks should be kept from being refueled dockside. Storage of gasoline or combustible materials in the dock areas is not allowed.

Dinghies should be stowed in a manner that does not hinder or obstruct the safe movement of other people or vessels.

Boats must be positioned to avoid obstructing the main dock walkways. To ensure unobstructed pathways, walkways should always remain clear of water hoses, electrical cords, dock boxes, and overextended bow-sprits. For safety reasons, running on the docks is not permitted.

The Club bears no responsibility for any damages caused, regardless of the cause.

Visiting boaters are permitted to **fish** only from 6:00 am to 11:00 am, and the designated fishing area is exclusively the Pier located just east of the patio. No other regions within the harbour are allowed for fishing.

Ice is available for visiting boaters in the clubhouse during normal business operations. Please see the Dock staff.

Swimming Pool Policies / Rules - A list of pool rules is displayed in the pool area. Please abide by these rules.

We value the peaceful and enjoyable atmosphere for all our members and guests. We have established designated **quiet hours** within the harbour after 11 PM. During these hours, we kindly request everyone's cooperation in maintaining a tranquil environment, ensuring minimal noise levels.

Club Facilities and Amenities:

Our clubhouse features a long-standing reputation for its casual and fine dining experiences and the convivial warmth of its bar-side ambience. We pride ourselves on being an active supporter of local talent and have a busy roster of live music that represents a variety of styles and genres, especially on Friday nights and Sunday afternoons during the summer months. Come out and enjoy the music. In addition to its full-service clubhouse and 158 serviced boat wells, the Windsor Yacht Club also provides the following:

- Green Acres picnic area: a covered gazebo with a barbecue located at the south end of the West Harbour
- Shantytown: Poolside tented seating with weather protection and gas barbecue located at the south end of the East Harbour by the pool
- Riverside picnic area: large, covered seating area with barbecue and river views located on the river on the north side of the Riverside Harbour
- Swimming pool with a lounging area located behind Shantytown
- Newly renovated poolside bathrooms and showers
- Riverfront seating area, perfect for watching sunsets
- Extensive parking
- Security video monitoring of all exterior areas

Two showers and restrooms are available 24/7 immediately adjacent to the pool on the East Harbour. Access code: 324

Windsor Yacht Club does not have laundry facilities onsite. The closest laundromat is Super Clean Laundromat, located at 2675 Lauzon Rd, Windsor, ON N8T 2Z5 – less than a five-minute Uber ride.

Internet access is available throughout our properties and can be obtained through any of the three networks. To connect, please use the login details provided below:

Clubhouse Wi-Fi Network: WYC_Guest Password: wycgu3st

Riverside Harbour WIFI: Network: Riverside_Harbour WIFI Password: RiverHarb2023

Outdoor WYC Harbour Wi-Fi Wi-Fi Network: WYC_Harbour Password: WindYacht2023

Clubhouse Rules and Regulations (selected):

The Windsor Yacht Club is a private club for the exclusive use of its Members. Members of recognized yacht clubs that have visiting arrangements with our Club shall be allowed the privileges of the clubhouse after having registered, so long as they abide by the Club rules.

Every visitor's name must be entered in the Register provided in the front lobby.

The Club staff shall not be subject to reprimand, interference, or harassment by any member or visitor.

Pets are strictly prohibited inside the clubhouse or any licensed service area inside or outside, except registered Service Animals, and must always be on a leash when on the property. Please clean up after your pet.

All food or beverages consumed on the clubhouse premises must be prepared and served by the staff. All Members and visitors must at all times adhere to the liquor laws of the Province of Ontario. Visiting boaters may consume alcohol on their boat and in picnic areas.

Smoking and vaping are not allowed inside the clubhouse. Designated smoking/vaping areas are posted outside the building, where receptacles are placed for the disposal of cigarette butts. Please help us keep our property and our waters clean. Cannabis products in any form are not allowed on the Club property.

Dress Code:

All areas of the Club, including the patio and pool, require appropriate attire. Clear communication will be provided before any event where a different dress code is necessary.

Windsor Yacht Club maintains a casual atmosphere, allowing jeans and shorts in the bar and Spinnaker Grill area. However, it is discouraged to wear them in the main dining rooms. Denim wear is generally acceptable but must be in good condition, without rips, tears, frayed ends, or holes, and should be worn appropriately.

Please refrain from wearing bathing suits, cover-ups, tank tops (for men), or other beach attire in the clubhouse and patio.

As part of our tradition, men wearing hats will be kindly asked to buy the house a round. Hats should not be worn in any area of the Clubhouse.

Swimming attire is limited to the pool area. For babies, swimmer-brand diapers must be worn.

Local Attractions:

Windsor is known for its scenic waterfront along the Detroit River and numerous attractions that would appeal to visitors. Here are some local attractions that boaters should be aware of:

Windsor Riverfront: The Windsor Riverfront offers a beautiful area to explore. You can enjoy stunning views of the Detroit skyline, take a leisurely cruise along the river, or dock your boat and explore the nearby parks and walking trails

See: <u>https://www.visitwindsoressex.com/places/riverwalk</u>

Peche Island: Located just off the coast of Windsor, Peche Island is an excellent destination for boaters. It's a peaceful and natural spot, perfect for picnics, hiking, and birdwatching. See: <u>https://www.visitwindsoressex.com/places/peche-island</u>

Hiram Walker & Sons Distillery: For those interested in history and spirits, the Hiram Walker Distillery is worth a visit. You can take a tour of the distillery, learning about the whiskey-making process and the history of this iconic Canadian brand.

See: <u>https://www.destinationontario.com/en-ca/articles/take-tour-through-windsors-whiskytown-history</u>

Adventure Bay Family Water Park: If you're visiting Windsor with your family, this water park offers a fun-filled day of water activities. It's located on the downtown riverfront. See: <u>https://www.visitwindsoressex.com/places/adventure-bay-family-water-park</u>

Windsor Sculpture Park: This unique park showcases a variety of contemporary sculptures along the waterfront, creating an outdoor art gallery. It's a great spot to admire art and stretch your legs.

See: https://www.visitwindsoressex.com/places/windsor-sculpture-park

Windsor International Aquatic and Training Centre: Boaters who enjoy swimming and water sports might be interested in this state-of-the-art aquatic center, offering various pools and fitness facilities.

See: <u>https://www.visitwindsoressex.com/places/aquatic-training-centre/</u>

Caesars Windsor is a popular casino operated by Caesars Entertainment and offers a wide range of gaming options, dining choices, and entertainment experiences. See: <u>https://www.caesars.com/caesars-windsor</u>

Before visiting any of these attractions, it's advisable to check their current status, opening hours, and accessibility.

Local Services:

Offer information on nearby attractions, dining options, grocery stores, marine supply shops, and other services that transient boaters might find helpful during their stay.

Fuel and pump-out services are available within 200 meters of WYC at Lakeview Park Marina.

Grocery Store – FreshCo, 8100 Wyandotte St E, Windsor, ON N8S 1T3

Marine Supply Store – Dan's Nautical Shop, 12237 Riverside Dr. E, Windsor, ON N8N 1A1. 519-735-2628

Local Restaurants:

Harbour House, 9550 Riverside Dr. E, Windsor, ON N8P 1A1 River's Edge Tap & Table, 494 Riverdale Ave, Windsor, ON N8S 4B6 Erie Street – see: <u>https://viaitalia.com</u> Walkerville – see: <u>https://www.visitwindsoressex.com/places/walkerville-bia/</u>

Emergency Contacts:

The local emergency contacts and authorities you should be aware of are as follows:

Police, Fire, and Medical Emergencies: Dial 911 Windsor Police Service (Non-Emergency): +1 (519) 258-6111 Windsor Fire and Rescue Services (Non-Emergency): +1 (519) 253-6573 Windsor Regional Hospital: Ouellette Campus: +1 (519) 973-4411 Met Campus: +1 (519) 254-5577 On-Site Emergency Contact: +1 (519) 945-1863

Physical Location:

Windsor Yacht Club 9000 Riverside Drive East, Windsor, Ontario, Canada N8S 1H1 L 42° 20' 25.944" N Lo 82° 56' 1.032" W

An emergency telephone is located at the south entrance of the pool deck.

Weather Updates:

Visiting boaters at the Windsor Yacht Club can access local weather forecasts through various methods to stay informed and make informed decisions about their boating activities. Here are some ways you can access weather forecasts:

Harbor Office or Staff: Boaters can inquire at the harbour office or speak to club staff about obtaining local weather forecasts. The team can access up-to-date weather information and provide relevant details to the boaters.

Mobile Apps: Boaters can download popular weather apps like The Weather Channel, AccuWeather, or Weather Underground and set their location to Windsor, Ontario, to get localized forecasts.

Weather Websites: Boaters can access weather forecasts for Windsor on various websites. Some well-known weather websites include Weather.com, Environment Canada's weather page (https://weather.gc.ca/), and The Weather Network (https://www.theweathernetwork.com/ca/weather/ontario/windsor).

Environmental Stewardship:

We are committed to environmental stewardship and responsible waste management at the Windsor Yacht Club Harbour. We offer various waste disposal options to ensure a clean and pristine marine environment.

Recycling: We encourage all members and guests to participate actively in our recycling program. Marked recycling bins are available throughout the harbour to dispose of recyclable materials such as plastic, glass, paper, and metal.

Trash Collection: Proper waste disposal is essential to maintain the beauty of our waterfront. Numerous trash bins are strategically placed across the harbour to dispose of non-recyclable waste conveniently.

Hazardous Waste: To safeguard our waters and surroundings, we request that dangerous waste materials, such as batteries, paints, oils, and chemicals, be appropriately handled and not placed in regular trash or recycling bins.

Responsible Boating Practices: We urge all boaters to follow best practices for waste management during their time on the water. This includes refraining from throwing trash overboard and using biodegradable and environmentally-friendly cleaning products.

Feedback:

As valued visitors, your perspective and insights are precious to us. We would be delighted if you could share your thoughts about your recent experience at Windsor Yacht Club. Your feedback will help us identify areas of improvement and ensure that we continue to deliver the best possible service to all our members and guests.

We encourage you to email us your feedback or suggestions directly at operations@windsoryachtclub.com.